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## STATE OF MONTANA BEFORE THE BOARD OF PERSONNEL APPEALS

IN THE MATTER OF UNIT CLARIFICATION NOS. 2-2003 & 8-2003

Montana Public Employees Association

Petitioner/Respondent,

VS.

Montana Department of Agriculture and Department of Administration, State Personnel Division

Respondent/Petitioner

RECOMMENDED ORDER

Pursuant to ARM 24.26.630(6) these cases were mediated by an agency mediator and agreement was reached between the parties as to the proper composition of the MPEA bargaining unit in the Montana Department of Agriculture. The stipulated unit description is attached to this Recommended Order and incorporated by reference.

DATED this 9th day of April, 2003.

BOARD OF PERSONNEL APPEALS

Paul Melvin Board Agent

## NOTICE

Exceptions to this Recommended Order may be filed within ten (10) days of service thereof. If no exceptions are filed, this Recommended Order shall become the Order of the Board of Personnel Appeals. Address exceptions to the Board of Personnel Appeals, P.O. Box 6518, Helena, Montana 59604-5618.

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I, Manual Median, do hereby certified that the above document was mailed to the following on the 4th day of April, 2003:

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